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TO: President John E. Van de Wetering

FROM: The Faculty Senate Meeting on 3/7/88  
(Date)

RE:        I. Formal Resolution (Act of Determination)  
       II. Recommendation (Urging the fitness of)  
  X   III. Other (Notice, Request, Report, etc.)  
Informational Notice

SUBJECT: Minor change in elective courses for the Computer Science  
Major Program  
S.U.N.Y.  
COLLEGE AT BROCKPORT  
BROCKPORT, NY 14420

MAR 29 1988

FACULTY SENATE  
BROCKPORT, NY 14420

Signed Richard W. [Signature] Date Sent 3/9/88  
(For the Senate)

TO: The Faculty Senate

FROM: President John E. Van de Wetering

RE: I. Decision and Action Taken on Formal Resolution  
a. Accepted. Effective Date Jan 1988  
b. Deferred for discussion with the Faculty Senate on         
c. Unacceptable for the reasons contained in the attached explanation

II., III. a. Received and acknowledged  
b. Comment:

DISTRIBUTION: Vice Presidents: See attached list - Cover page only  
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Signed: [Signature]  
(President of the College)

Date Received by the Senate:

# **BROCKPORT**

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May 21, 1987

TO: Dr. Elaine K. Miller, Chairperson  
The Undergraduate Curriculum Committee,  
Faculty Senate

FR: Kazumi Nakano



RE: Minor change in elective courses for the Computer Science Major Program

I would like to report a minor change in courses students may select to fulfill the elective requirement for the Computer Science Major Program. The change is due to new courses and the trend of students taking CSC 213 FORTRAN and CSC 214 COBOL.

Two new courses are introduced to teach more recently developed languages and also reorganize instruction of computer languages covered in several courses in the past. The new courses are:

CSC 317 PL/I and C

CSC 318 Ada and Modula-2

To avoid duplication, the following courses are eliminated.

CSC 315 Advanced Programming in PL/I (formerly CSC 215 PL/I)

CSC 316 Advanced Programming in C

CSC 400 Advanced Programming

In the past, students are allowed to include at most one among the language courses in the minimum requirement for the electives (5 courses). They could count only one of:

CSC 213 FORTRAN

CSC 214 COBOL

CSC 315 PL/I (formerly CSC 215)

CSC 316 C

The new rule will be that students may not use CSC 213 FORTRAN nor CSC 214 COBOL to fulfill the elective requirement. For those languages are no longer used in the main stream of Computer Science and taken over by the languages such as C, Ada, Modula-2. The decline of the enrollment of Computer Science majors in these two language courses are quite obvious. (40 on average till the Fall of '85, currently 14 on average) Therefore, the new rule will cause no confusion.